



MONTHLY BIRD CENSUS 22 APRIL 2007

CENSUS NUMBER TIME 08:10 - 12:10 **CLOUD COVER 95%** PRECIP NONE **OPEN WATER ALL** FOG NONE WIND NONE **TEMP 48-57** SNOW COVER NONE PARTICIPANTS: Bob Stallcop, Charlie Wright, David Sperry, Jeff Cohen, MaryFrances Mathis, Steve Johnson and Tom Mansfield (ponds) Barbara Petersen, Matt Knox and Roger Orness (meadows)

SPECIES

 Pied-billed Grebe 13 Double-crested Cormorant 6 	6	23. Red-tailed Hawk 4 *10 24. Ring-necked Pheasant 2 (1H)	45. Golden-crowned Kinglet 1 46. Ruby-crowned Kinglet 7
3. Great Blue Heron 8		25. Virginia Rail 4 H	47. American Robin 17
4. Cackling Goose 2	*1	26. American Coot 56	48. European Starling 5
5. Canada Goose 26	*2	27. Killdeer 1 *11	49. Orange-crowned Warbler 4
6. Wood Duck 1		28. Greater Yellowlegs 3	50. Yellow-rumped Warbler 110 *13
7. Gadwall 25		29. Sandpiper (species) 6	51. Common Yellowthroat 76
8. American Wigeon 28		30. Glaucous-winged Gull 2	52. Spotted Towhee 9
9. Mallard 34	*3	31. Rufous Hummingbird 6	53. Savanna Sparrow 46
10. Cinnamon Teal 3	*4	32. Downy Woodpecker 1	54. Song Sparrow 43
11. Northern Shoveler 30		33. Northern Flicker 1	55. Lincoln's Sparrow 3
12. Green-winged Teal 20		34. Steller's Jay 1	56. White-crowned Sparrow 10
13. Canvasback 2	*5	35. American Crow 29	57. Golden-crowned Sparrow 30
14. Ring-necked Duck 17		36. Common Raven 2 *12	58. Red-winged Blackbird 15
15. Bufflehead 21		37. Tree Swallow 75	59. Brewer's Blackbird 2
16. Wood Duck 1		38. Violet Green Swallow 19	60. Brown-headed Cowbird 9
17. Common Merganser 2		39. Cliff Swallow 3	61. House Finch 5
18. Ruddy Duck 5		40. Barn Swallow 4	62. Red Crossbill 1 H?? *14
19. Osprey 1	*6	41. Black-capped Chickadee 6	63. Pine Siskin 1 H??
20. Bald Eagle 1	*7	42. Bushtit 3	64. American Goldfinch 17
21. Northern Harrier 4	*8	43. Bewick's Wren 9	
22. Cooper's Hawk 3	*9	44. Marsh Wren 47	

NOTES

A second group of 30 were seen flying high over the Lagoon (too high to count).

- In addition to the Canada Goose total were 2 broods of goslings (unknown number).
- In addition to the Mallard total were 2 broods of ducklings numbering 8 and 10. *3
- Two were seen from the grassy knoll and one was at the far S. end of the lagoon.
- One female seen from the E. mound (grassy knoll). *5
- *6 One hunting the lagoon. Both adults could be seen on an off site cellular tower one quarter mile E. of site.
- One sub-adult flying over the Lagoon, then later flying high over site to the S. and chased by raven.
- Two SY adult females, one after third year male and a third year male copulating with one of the females. *8
- An adult male lands on nest, then seen near adult female S. of nest. One adult in SW. corner near the S. trail.
- *10 Both adults in NW. quad, one by nest; one SW. adult on SW. tower; one SY (second year) on SE. tower.
- *11 Nest found at the southeast edge of the Superhiway turnaround where vegetation met gravel.
- *12 Both seen flying E. from Russell Rd. near 212th then later one chasing the eagle S. as seen from the grassy knoll.
- *13 Myrtles race 46, Audubon's race 64.
- *14 A first for the census? flyover near the Hawthorn Suites.

MORE NOTES

No owls were seen at Anderson Park. The Russell Road nest box was not checked for owls.

One River Otter seen crossing the main dike road (Superhiway) from the Constructed Wetlands to the Lagoon.